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Director of the United States
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Attn: Maintenance Fee
2051 Jamieson Avenue, Suite 300
Alexandria, VA 22314

Re: Payment of Difference Between Small and Large Entity

Dear Sir:

It has come to our attention that the 3.5 year maintenance fee due November 27, 2011 for U.S. Patent No. 7,378,489 (Application No. 09/470,997) was paid at the small entity rate. However, the patent no longer qualifies for small entity. Please accept the attached Change of Entry Status. Please also charge \$565 to Deposit Account No. 020200 for the difference in entity status. You are also authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee to the same Deposit Account.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

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